

THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, }  
ALLEGHENY COUNTY, } *Sct.*



I, *David McBurdy* Clerk of the Court of Quar-

ter Sessions of Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of, Pennsyl-  
vania, do by these presents certify, that on *Monday* the *Ninth* day of

*March* in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and *fifty*

*John Armistead* a native of *England*

and heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain and Ireland*  
came before me, and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating  
that it was *bona fide* his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing  
and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty  
*whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance*  
and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain and*  
*Ireland* whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and af-  
fixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *Ninth*  
day of *March* Anno Domini, 18 *50* and of the In-  
dependence of the United States, the seventy *fourth*

*David McBurdy*

Clerk.